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Part - A

The Hindu Editorial: El Niño calls for wider monitoring of ecological stress (05 OCT 2026)

1. Call for (phrasal verb) - to publicly ask for or demand something मांग करना

2. **Proficient** (adjective) - skilled, adept, competent, capable, experienced कुशल

3. **Forecast** (verb) - predict, foretell, anticipate, project, prophesy भविष्यवाणी करना

4. **Intense** (adjective) - severe, extreme, acute, fierce, profound तीव्र

5. **Potentially** (adverb) - possibly, probably, conceivably, likely, presumably संभावित रूप से

6. **Deficit** (noun) - shortage, shortfall, deficiency, scarcity, lack कमी

7. **Strengthen** (verb) - fortify, bolster, reinforce, toughen, intensify मजबूत करना

8. **El niño** (noun) - an abnormal weather pattern caused by the warming of the pacific ocean अल नीनो

9. **Wetlands** (noun) - marshes, swamps, bogs, fens, moors आर्द्रभूमि

10. **Cascading effect** (noun) - an inevitable chain of events where one event triggers another श्रृंखलाबद्ध प्रभाव

11. **Livelihoods** (noun) - incomes, sustenance, living, maintenance, subsistence आजीविका

12. **Vegetation** (noun) - flora, plants, greenery, foliage, herbage वनस्पति

13. **Withstand** (verb) - endure, resist, tolerate, brave, bear सहन करना

14. **Prolonged** (adjective) - extended, lengthy, sustained, protracted, continuous लंबा

15. **Point to** (phrasal verb) - to indicate or show that something is true or likely इशारा करना

16. **Past** (preposition) - beyond, exceeding, over, outside, without के पार

17. **Threshold** (noun) - limit, boundary, brink, verge, margin सीमा

18. **Discern** (verb) - perceive, recognize, detect, identify, distinguish पहचानना

19. **Nuances** (noun) - subtleties, distinctions, variations, shades, gradations सूक्ष्मता

20. **Scarce** (adjective) - limited, insufficient, meager, sparse, deficient दुर्लभ

21. **Imperil** (verb) - endanger, jeopardize, risk, threaten, hazard खतरे में डालना

22. **Resilience** (noun) - flexibility, durability, elasticity, toughness, adaptability लचीलापन

23. **Surface** (noun) - exterior, outside, face, top, veneer सतह

24. **Complement** (verb) - complete, supplement, enhance, augment, enrich पूरक होना

25. **In this respect** (phrase) - concerning this specific feature or detail इस संबंध में

26. **Vulnerable** (adjective) - susceptible, exposed, defenseless, fragile, unprotected असुरक्षित

27. **Mechanism** (noun) - system, procedure, process, method, apparatus तंत्र

28. **Patches** (noun) - areas, spots, tracts, plots, zones हिस्से

29. **Imperative** (adjective) - crucial, essential, vital, critical, necessary अनिवार्य

30. **Alter** (verb) - change, modify, adjust, amend, transform बदलना

31. **Vulnerable** (to) (adjective) - exposed to the possibility of being attacked or harmed by something की चपेट में

32. **Coral reefs** (noun) - a ridge of rock in the sea formed by the growth and deposit of coral मूंगा चट्टानें

33. **Likewise** (adverb) - similarly, correspondingly, equally, identically, uniformly उसी प्रकार

34. **Insights** (noun) - understanding, awareness, intuition, perception, comprehension अंतर्दृष्टि

35. **Marine ecosystem** (phrase) - aquatic environment with high levels of dissolved salt समुद्री पारिस्थितिकी तंत्र

36. **Shoreline** (noun) - the line along which the edge of the sea, a lake, a river etc. meets the land तटरेखा

37. **Erosion** (noun) - a process in which soil, stone, etc. is gradually damaged and removed by the waves, rain, or wind, or the result of this actionकटाव

38. **Ecologist** (noun) - a person who studies or is an expert in ecologyपर्यावरणविद्

39. **Salient** (adjective) - prominent, noticeable, striking, outstanding, remarkable मुख्य

40. **Likely** (adjective) - probable, possible, plausible, anticipated, expected संभावित

41. **Coordination** (noun) - collaboration, cooperation, organization, synchronization, harmony समन्वय

42. **Robust** (adjective) - strong, sturdy, vigorous, tough, powerful मजबूत

43. **Vagaries** (noun) - fluctuations, variations, unpredictability, quirks, whims अनिश्चितताएं

The Hindu Editorial: Two or three (06 OCT 2026)

1. **Frequent** (adjective) - recurrent, repeated, periodic, persistent, habitual बार-बार होने वाला

2. **Intervention** (noun) - interference, mediation, intercession, arbitrament, involvement हस्तक्षेप

3. **Point to** (phrasal verb) - to indicate, show, or draw attention to something किसी बात की ओर संकेत करना

4. **Aspect** (noun) - facet, feature, dimension, side, component पहलू

5. **Think through** (phrasal verb) - to consider all the possibilities and outcomes of a situation carefully किसी बात के सभी पहलुओं पर अच्छी तरह विचार करना

6. **Regardless of** (phrase) - without being influenced or affected by something; in spite of की परवाह किए बिना

7. **Eventual** (adjective) - final, ultimate, ensuing, concluding, resultant परिणामी

8. **Intent** (noun) - intention, purpose, objective, aim, resolve इरादा

9. **Pitfall** (noun) - hazard, peril, snare, drawback, danger छुपा हुआ खतरा

10. **Soft the rough edges** (idiom) - to make something less harsh, severe, or difficult to deal with किसी स्थिति की कमियों को कम करना

11. **Ruling** (noun) - verdict, judgment, decree, decision, pronouncement न्यायिक निर्णय

12. **Assessment** (noun) - evaluation, appraisal, estimation, review, judgment मूल्यांकन

13. **Seek** (verb) - attempt, endeavor, strive, pursue, try प्रयास करना

14. **Lessen** (verb) - reduce, diminish, decrease, mitigate, abate घटाना

15. **Stubbornly** (adverb) - obstinately, persistently, tenaciously, adamantly, rigidly हठपूर्वक

16. **Resist** (verb) - oppose, withstand, defy, combat, confront विरोध करना

17. **Hearing** (noun) - inquiry, proceeding, trial, audition, inquest न्यायिक सुनवाई

18. **Intervene** (verb) - mediate, interfere, arbitrate, intrude, intercede हस्तक्षेप करना

19. **Point out** (phrasal verb) - to draw attention to a particular fact, detail, or truth किसी तथ्य की ओर ध्यान दिलाना

20. **Disruptive** (adjective) - troublesome, disorderly, upsetting, turbulent, unsettling बाधा डालने वाला

21. **Moot** (verb) - propose, suggest, raise, broach, submit चर्चा के लिए प्रस्तुत करना

22. **Consideration** (noun) - deliberation, reflection, contemplation, thought, scrutiny विचार-विमर्श

23. **Indigenous** (adjective) - native, aboriginal, endemic, domestic, local स्वदेशी

24. **De facto** (adverb) - in reality, actually, in practice, effectively, essentially वास्तव में

25. **Widely** (adverb) - extensively, broadly, commonly, universally, generally व्यापक रूप से

26. **Consistently** (adverb) - regularly, constantly, steadily, systematically, uniformly लगातार

27. **Give an edge** (phrase) - to provide an advantage over competitors or others किसी को लाभ की स्थिति प्रदान करना

28. **Pathway** (noun) - route, avenue, road, course, track मार्ग

29. **Prosperity** (noun) - affluence, wealth, success, fortune, abundance समृद्धि

30. **Advocate** (verb) - support, champion, endorse, promote, espouse समर्थन करना

31. **Facilitate** (verb) - ease, expedite, assist, simplify, aid सुगम बनाना

32. **Mobility** (noun) - movement, motion, manoeuvrability, adaptability, portability गतिशीलता

33. **Reportage** (noun) - journalism, reporting, coverage, account, chronicle समाचार विवरण

34. **So-called** (adjective) - self-styled, nominal, putative, alleged, supposedly तथाकथित

35. **Stick** (verb) - adhere, cling, hold, persist, continue डटे रहना

36. **Consequence** (noun) - outcome, result, repercussion, effect, upshot परिणाम

37. **Purported** (adjective) - alleged, claimed, assumed, apparent, putative कथित

38. **Promote** (verb) - encourage, foster, advance, boost, further बढ़ावा देना

39. **Merit** (noun) - worth, value, excellence, virtue, credit योग्यता

40. **Strengthen** (verb) - reinforce, fortify, consolidate, bolster, enhance मज़बूत करना

41. **Federal** (adjective) - confederate, allied, unified, divided-power, governmental संघीय

42. **Strenuous** (adjective) - arduous, laborious, demanding, rigorous, grueling कठिन

43. **Cater to** (phrasal verb) - to satisfy a particular need, demand, or desire किसी विशिष्ट मांग, इच्छा या ज़रूरत को पूरा करना

44. **Atavistic** (adjective) - ancestral, primitive, archaic, throwback, rudimentary रूढ़िवादी

45. **Impulse** (noun) - urge, instinct, drive, whim, inclination सहज भावना

The Hindu Editorial: Good, not good enough (07 OCT 2026)

1. **Bid** (for) (verb) - to offer to do something or to make an effort to get something प्रयास करना
2. **Aspire** (verb) - desire, aim, hope, wish, long आकांक्षा करना
3. **Host** (verb) - organize, hold, present, arrange, entertain मेज़बानी करना
4. **Contingent** (noun) - delegation, group, team, detachment, deputation दल
5. **Aggregate** (noun) - total, sum, whole, mass, collection कुल
6. **Fall short of** (phrase) - to fail to reach an expected amount or standard से कम रह जाना
7. **Project** (verb) - estimate, calculate, predict, forecast, plan अनुमान लगाना
8. **Likely** (adjective) - probable, possible, expected, anticipated, plausible संभावित
9. **Thorough** (adjective) - comprehensive, complete, exhaustive, detailed, rigorous विस्तृत
10. **Postmortem** (noun) - analysis, evaluation, review, assessment, examination समीक्षा
11. **Given** (preposition) - taking into account or considering a particular situation को देखते हुए
12. **Surge** (noun) - increase, rise, growth, upsurge, jump वृद्धि
13. **Drive** (verb) - propel, push, motivate, prompt, inspire प्रेरित करना
14. **Exploit** (noun) - achievement, feat, deed, accomplishment, performance कारनामा
15. **Manage** (to) (verb) - to succeed in doing something difficult सफल होना
16. **Haul** (noun) - collection, yield, catch, harvest, taking प्राप्ति
17. **Make a clean sweep** (idiom) - to win all the prizes or every part of a competition सूपड़ा साफ करना
18. **Underscore** (verb) - highlight, emphasize, stress, underline, accentuate ज़ोर देना
19. **Stark** (adjective) - clear, sharp, plain, bare, harsh स्पष्ट या कठोर
20. **Raise your bar** (phrase) - to increase the standards or expectations स्तर बढ़ाना
21. **Multi-disciplinary** (adjective) - involving several different subjects or sports बहु-विषयक
22. **Runaway** (adjective) - easy, effortless, sweeping, undisputed, overwhelming एकतरफा
23. **Secure** (verb) - obtain, acquire, gain, win, get हासिल करना
24. **On a brighter note** (phrase) - looking at the positive aspect of a situation सकारात्मक दृष्टिकोण से
25. **Field** (verb) - enter, play, deploy, position, pitch मैदान में उतारना
26. **Debutant** (noun) - beginner, novice, newcomer, entrant, starter पहली बार भाग लेने वाला
27. **Marginal** (adjective) - slight, small, minimal, negligible, minor मामूली
28. **Rejoice** (verb) - celebrate, exult, cheer, delight, glory खुशी मनाना

29. **Rookie** (noun) - beginner, novice, newcomer, amateur, trainee नौसिखिया
30. **Dismantle** (verb) - destroy, demolish, deconstruct, overturn, break तोड़ना या समाप्त करना
31. **Hegemony** (noun) - dominance, supremacy, authority, leadership, control आधिपत्य
32. **Upset** (verb) - defeat, beat, overcome, topple, conquer हराना या उलटफेर करना
33. **Clinch** (verb) - secure, win, seal, assure, guarantee जीत पक्की करना
34. **Hog the limelight** (phrase) - to take all the attention for oneself सुर्खियां बटोरना
35. **Live up to something** (phrasal verb) - to perform as well as expected or advertised उम्मीदों पर खरा उतरना
36. **Register** (verb) - record, show, display, mark, indicate दर्ज करना
37. **Noticeable** (adjective) - evident, obvious, clear, distinct, visible ध्यान देने योग्य
38. **Catch up with** (phrasal verb) - to reach the same quality, standard, or level as someone else बराबरी करना
39. **Apiece** (adverb) - each, individually, separately, respectively, per प्रत्येक
40. **On the flip side** (phrase) - looking at the opposite or negative aspect of a situation दूसरी ओर
41. **Yield** (verb) - produce, generate, provide, return, give देना या उत्पन्न करना
42. **Scrutiny** (noun) - inspection, examination, analysis, investigation, review जांच
43. **Essential** (adjective) - crucial, necessary, vital, important, indispensable आवश्यक
44. **Course correction** (phrase) - a change in strategy or direction to fix a mistake सुधार
45. **Propel** (verb) - push, drive, force, thrust, motivate आगे बढ़ाना
46. **A bid to** (adverb) - an attempt or effort to achieve something का प्रयास
47. **Host** (verb) - organize, hold, present, arrange, entertain मेज़बानी करना
48. **Countdown** (noun) - preparation, timeline, prelude, run-up, approach उलटी गिनती
49. **Embarrassment** (noun) - shame, humiliation, awkwardness, disgrace, indignity शर्मिंदगी

The Hindu Editorial: Let there be light (08 OCT 2026)

1. **Let there be light** (phrase) - an expression of creating light or bringing clarity प्रकाश होने दो

2. **Laureate** (noun) - winner, victor, recipient, champion, honouree पुरस्कार विजेता

3. **Illuminate** (verb) - enlighten, clarify, elucidate, explain, highlight स्पष्ट करना

4. **Herald** (verb) - announce, proclaim, signal, usher, indicate घोषणा करना

5. **Perennial** (adjective) - everlasting, perpetual, enduring, eternal, persistent चिरस्थायी

6. **Endeavour** (noun) - effort, attempt, venture, undertaking, enterprise प्रयास

7. **Concerning** (preposition) - regarding, respecting, touching, involving, about के संबंध में

8. **Confer** (verb) - bestow, grant, award, present, endow प्रदान करना

9. **Humankind** (noun) - humanity, mankind, people, mortals, society मानव जाति

10. **Shine a light** (phrase) - to examine or explain something to make it easier to understand प्रकाश डालना

11. **Quantum leap** (noun) - a sudden, significant, and very large advance बड़ी छलांग

12. **In essence** (phrase) - fundamentally or basically मूल रूप से

13. **Puppeteer** (noun) - manipulator, controller, operator, handler, director सूत्रधार

14. **Pull the strings** (phrase) - to secretly control or influence a situation गुप्त रूप से नियंत्रण करना

15. **Marionette** (noun) - puppet, figure, doll, dummy, tool कठपुतली

16. **Dexterity** (noun) - agility, nimbleness, skill, proficiency, adroitness निपुणता

17. **Often** (adverb) - frequently, regularly, repeatedly, routinely, commonly अक्सर

18. **Seek** (verb) - attempt, try, strive, aim, endeavour प्रयास करना

19. **Optogenetics** (noun) - a biological technique to control the activity of cells with light प्रकाश-आनुवंशिकी

20. **Map** (verb) - chart, plot, delineate, trace, record खाका तैयार करना

21. **Acknowledge** (verb) - recognize, admit, concede, accept, grant मान्यता देना

22. **Collaboration** (noun) - cooperation, partnership, teamwork, association, alliance सहयोग

23. **Continent** (noun) - landmass, mainland, region, territory, tract महाद्वीप

24. **Advance** (verb) - progress, develop, promote, further, improve आगे बढ़ाना

25. **Wonder** (verb) - ponder, question, speculate, marvel, contemplate सोचना

26. **Alga** (noun) - a simple non-flowering aquatic plant शैवाल

27. **Impulse** (noun) - stimulus, signal, pulse, surge, current आवेग

28. **Gene** (noun) - chromosome, trait, heredity, genetics, dna जीन

29. **Light-sensitive** (adjective) - photosensitive, reactive, responsive, perceptive, delicate प्रकाश-संवेदनशील

30. **Precise** (adjective) - exact, accurate, specific, meticulous, definite सटीक

31. **Decade** (noun) - period of ten-years दशक

32. **Govern** (verb) - control, regulate, direct, manage, guide नियंत्रित करना

33. **Psychiatric disorders** (noun) - mental or behavioral patterns that cause suffering or poor functioning मनोरोग

34. **Lay the groundwork for** (idiom) - to create the foundation for something to succeed आधारशिला रखना

35. **Alzheimer** (noun) - a progressive neurologic disorder that causes memory loss अल्जाइमर

36. **Addiction** (noun) - dependency, habit, obsession, craving, reliance लत

37. **Sight** (noun) - vision, eyesight, viewing, visibility, perception दृष्टि

38. **Facilitate** (verb) - ease, assist, expedite, promote, aid सुविधाजनक बनाना

39. **Translate** (verb) - convert, transform, change, render, transmute परिवर्तित करना

40. **Ameliorate** (verb) - improve, better, enhance, upgrade, alleviate सुधारना

41. **Irrespective of** (phrase) - without considering or regardless of की परवाह किए बिना

The Hindu Editorial: Eyes on ice: On the Nobel Prize for physics (09 OCT 2026)

1. **Collective** (adjective) - joint, shared, common, combined, cooperative सामूहिक

2. **Recognise** (verb) - acknowledge, appreciate, honor, commend, reward मान्यता देना

3. **Clever** (adjective) - ingenious, smart, brilliant, astute, shrewd चतुर

4. **Landmass** (noun) - continent, terrain, mainland, territory, expanse भूभाग

5. **Elusive** (adjective) - evasive, fleeting, intangible, subtle, transient पकड़ में न आने वाला

6. **Astronomical** (adjective) - celestial, stellar, planetary, cosmic, galactic खगोलीय

7. **Light-year** (noun) - a unit of astronomical distance equivalent to the distance that light travels in one year प्रकाश वर्ष

8. **Astronomy** (noun) - astrophysics, cosmology, stargazing, cosmogony, astrometry खगोल विज्ञान

9. **Perpetuate** (verb) - maintain, sustain, continue, prolong, preserve बनाए रखना

10. **Deleterious** (adjective) - harmful, damaging, detrimental, destructive, adverse हानिकारक

11. **Embed** (verb) - implant, insert, install, lodge, fix जड़ना

12. **Beneath** (preposition) - under, below, underneath, lower, underlying के नीचे

13. **Lead to** (phrasal verb) - to cause something to happen or exist का कारण बनना

14. **Crucible** (noun) - cauldron, forge, melting-pot, vessel, origin उत्पत्ति स्थान

15. **Strengthen** (verb) - reinforce, fortify, consolidate, bolster, enhance मजबूत करना

16. **Collaboration** (noun) - cooperation, partnership, teamwork, association, alliance सहयोग

17. **Span** (verb) - cover, bridge, encompass, extend, cross फैला होना

18. **At the scale** (phrase) - according to its massive size or extent इसके बड़े पैमाने पर

19. **Render** (verb) - make, cause, leave, turn, translate बना देना

20. **Prohibit** (verb) - forbid, ban, bar, restrict, prevent मना करना

21. **Govern** (verb) - rule, control, regulate, direct, command नियंत्रित करना

22. **Arrangement** (noun) - preparation, setup, organization, plan, provision व्यवस्था

23. **Fealty** (noun) - loyalty, allegiance, faithfulness, fidelity, devotion निष्ठा

24. **Statute** (noun) - law, rule, regulation, decree, ordinance कानून

25. **Overlook** (verb) - ignore, neglect, miss, disregard, omit अनदेखा करना

26. **Distinguish** (verb) - differentiate, separate, discern, discriminate, isolate अंतर करना

27. **Laureate** (noun) - winner, victor, recipient, champion, honouree पुरस्कार विजेता

28. **Accumulate** (verb) - gather, collect, amass, hoard, compile संचित करना

29. **Prestige** (noun) - status, reputation, stature, eminence, prominence प्रतिष्ठा

30. **Outdated** (adjective) - obsolete, old-fashioned, antiquated, archaic, outmoded पुराना

31. **Recognition** (noun) - acknowledgment, appreciation, identification, awareness, credit पहचान

32. **Instance** (noun) - example, case, occurrence, occasion, situation उदाहरण

33. **Reinforce** (verb) - strengthen, fortify, bolster, support, consolidate सुदृढ़ करना

34. **Notion** (noun) - idea, belief, concept, conception, thought धारणा

35. **Attribute to** (phrasal verb) - to point to as the cause of something का श्रेय देना

36. **Minimal** (adjective) - least, slight, nominal, minimum, negligible न्यूनतम

37. **Owe to** (phrase) - to exist or be successful because of someone or something के कारण होना

38. **Entrench** (verb) - establish, settle, root, embed, fix स्थापित करना

39. **Distort** (verb) - twist, warp, falsify, misrepresent, alter विकृत करना

40. **Extensive** (adjective) - widespread, vast, broad, comprehensive, large-scale व्यापक

41. **Island** (noun) - isolated or entirely independent (used metaphorically for someone who stands alone) अलग-थलग

The Indian Express Editorial: She led the way to the top, that's her legacy (10 OCT 2026)

1. **Contribution** (noun) - input, involvement, role, participation, assistance योगदान

2. **Lift** (verb) - raise, hoist, elevate, heave, upraise उठाना

3. **Carry oneself on** (phrase) - to behave or conduct oneself in a particular manner, especially with confidence आचरण करना

4. **Take over** (phrasal verb) - to assume control, management, or responsibility for something कार्यभार संभालना

5. **Consistently** (adverb) - regularly, steadily, constantly, uniformly, invariably निरंतर रूप से

6. **Go all the way** (phrase) - to continue a course of action to its conclusion or to achieve ultimate success पूर्ण सफलता प्राप्त करना

7. **Consistent** (adjective) - steady, regular, stable, uniform, dependable सुसंगत या निरंतर

8. **Question** (verb) - doubt, challenge, dispute, interrogate, examine सवाल उठाना

9. **Drive** (verb) - propel, motivate, inspire, prompt, urge प्रेरित करना

10. **Passion** (noun) - enthusiasm, zeal, fervour, ardour, eagerness जुनून

11. **Inherit** (verb) - receive, assume, succeed, acquire, obtain विरासत में मिलना

12. **Recreate** (verb) - reproduce, copy, duplicate, replicate, rebuild फिर से बनाना

13. **Make sure** (phrase) - to establish that something is definitely so or to ensure something happens सुनिश्चित करना

14. **Fade** (verb) - diminish, decline, wane, wither, vanish क्षीण होना या फीका पड़ना

15. **Turn into** (phrasal verb) - to be transformed or changed into something else में बदल जाना

16. **Back-to-back** (adjective) - consecutive, successive, continuous, sequential, straight लगातार

17. **Exit** (noun) - departure, withdrawal, retirement, leaving, retreat बाहर होना

Part - B

The Hindu editorial: Rescue act (05 OCT 2026)

1. **Reintroduction** (noun) - restoration, return, reinstatement, renewal, revival पुनर्वापसी

2. **Ecological** (adjective) - related to environment पारिस्थितिक

3. **Degradation** (noun) - deterioration, decline, decay, destruction, ruination गिरावट

4. **Triumph** (noun) - victory, success, achievement, conquest, win सफलता

5. **Bureaucracy** (noun) - administration, government, management, system, red-tape नौकरशाही

6. **Ecology** (noun) - the relationship between living things and their surroundings; the study of this subject पर्यावरण विज्ञान

7. **Moot** (verb) - propose, suggest, introduce, submit, advance विचार-विमर्श के लिए पेश करना

8. **Culminate** (verb) - conclude, finish, end, terminate, climax परिणत होना

9. **Relocate** (verb) - move, transfer, shift, resettle, migrate स्थानांतरित करना

10. **Dot** (verb) - spot, mark, scatter, sprinkle, stud बिखरा होना

11. **Settlement** (noun) - community, village, colony, habitation, outpost बस्ती

12. **Surround** (verb) - enclose, encircle, encompass, envelop, hem घेरना

13. **Host** (verb) - harbor, contain, accommodate, possess, hold आश्रय देना

14. **Notorious** (adjective) - infamous, ill-famed, disreputable, scandalous, dishonorable कुख्यात

15. **Fragment** (verb) - break, shatter, divide, splinter, separate खंडित करना

16. **Landscape** (noun) - scenery, terrain, topography, countryside, environment परिदृश्य

17. **Migration** (noun) - movement, relocation, resettlement, emigration, journey प्रवास

18. **Corridor** (noun) - passage, pathway, route, channel, tract गलियारा

19. **Dense** (adjective) - thick, heavy, solid, opaque, impenetrable घना

20. **Woodland** (noun) - forest, woods, timberland, grove, copse जंगल

21. **Canopy** (noun) - cover, shade, awning, roof, umbrella छतरी

22. **Stifle** (verb) - suppress, smother, choke, suffocate, restrain दबाना

23. **Herbivore** (noun) - an animal that only eats grass and plantsशाकाहारी जानवर

24. **Dwindle** (verb) - decrease, shrink, decline, diminish, reduce कम होना

25. **Dismal** (adjective) - gloomy, dreary, depressing, bleak, poor निराशाजनक

26. **Ungulate** (noun) - an animal with hooves, such as a deer or horse खुरदार जानवर

27. **Collaboration** (noun) - partnership, cooperation, alliance, teamwork, association सहयोग

28. **Mitigate** (verb) - alleviate, reduce, relieve, lessen, ease कम करना

29. **Window** (noun) - an insight or a means of observing and understanding something झरोखा या अंतर्दृष्टि

30. **Cynical** (adjective) - skeptical, doubtful, pessimistic, distrustful, mocking निंदक

31. **Habitat** (noun) - home, environment, domain, territory, surroundings प्राकृतिक वास

32. **Crash** (verb) - collapse, plunge, plummet, fail, drop भारी गिरावट आना

33. **Showcase** (verb) - display, exhibit, demonstrate, present, highlight प्रदर्शित करना

34. **Heavy-handed** (adjective) - oppressive, strict, harsh, overbearing, authoritarian कठोर

35. **Reflect** (verb) - indicate, show, display, demonstrate, reveal दर्शाना

36. **Problematic** (adjective) - difficult, tricky, troublesome, complicated, unresolved समस्याग्रस्त

37. **Inviolate** (adjective) - untouched, undamaged, safe, pure, pristine सुरक्षित

38. **Machinery** (noun) - the organization or administrative system of an institution कार्यप्रणाली

39. **Override** (verb) - overrule, cancel, reverse, annul, reject हावी होना

40. **Disrupt** (verb) - disturb, interrupt, confuse, unsettle, upset बाधित करना

41. **Ecotourism** (noun) - responsible travel to natural areas that conserves the environment पर्यावरण-पर्यटन

42. **Disperse** (verb) - scatter, spread, diffuse, disband, dissipate फैल जाना

43. **Establish** (verb) - set up, found, create, form, start स्थापित करना

44. **Immigration** (noun) - the process of coming to live permanently in a country that is not your own; the number of people who do this आप्रवासन

45. **Entail** (verb) - involve, require, demand, necessitate, encompass आवश्यक करना

46. **Deterioration** (noun) - decline, degradation, worsening, decay, degeneration गिरावट

47. **Vanish** (verb) - disappear, fade, dissolve, evaporate, perish गायब होना

48. **Livelihood** (noun) - income, employment, living, sustenance, maintenance आजीविका

The Hindu editorial: Outbound force: On the U.S. leaving Iraq (06 OCT 2026)

1. **Outbound force** (noun) - a departing military force leaving for another location बाहर जाने वाला बल

2. **Weariness** (noun) - exhaustion, fatigue, tiredness, lethargy, lassitude थकान

3. **Invade** (verb) - attack, occupy, capture, seize, overrun आक्रमण करना

4. **Regime** (noun) - government, administration, establishment, authority, rule शासन

5. **Possess** (verb) - own, hold, acquire, retain, maintain अधिकार में होना

6. **Harbour** (verb) - shelter, shield, protect, conceal, foster पनाह देना

7. **Withdrawal** (noun) - departure, retreat, evacuation, exit, extraction वापसी

8. **Troop** (noun) - soldier, combatant, fighter, personnel, serviceman सैनिक

9. **Swathe** (noun) - area, stretch, tract, expanse, region बड़ा हिस्सा

10. **Invasion** (noun) - attack, incursion, offensive, assault, onslaught आक्रमण

11. **In the midst of** (phrase) - in the middle of or during a particular situation के बीच में

12. **Grave** (adjective) - serious, severe, critical, drastic, dire गंभीर

13. **Strategic** (adjective) - tactical, calculated, planned, diplomatic, crucial रणनीतिक

14. **Humanitarian** (adjective) - compassionate, philanthropic, altruistic, charitable, benevolent मानवीय

15. **Turn out to be** (phrase) - to be discovered or proven to be in the end साबित होना

16. **Outright** (adjective) - absolute, complete, total, downright, categorical पूर्ण

17. **Destruction** (noun) - devastation, ruin, demolition, annihilation, wreckage तबाही

18. **Abrupt** (adjective) - sudden, unexpected, rapid, unforeseen, swift अचानक

19. **Cleavage** (noun) - division, split, rift, schism, separation विभाजन

20. **Trigger** (verb) - provoke, prompt, elicit, generate, spark शुरू करना

21. **Civil war** (noun) - a war between citizens of the same country गृह युद्ध

22. **Disastrous** (adjective) - catastrophic, devastating, ruinous, tragic, fatal विनाशकारी

23. **Umbrella** (noun) - coalition, alliance, consortium, association, federation समूह

24. **Iran-backed** (adjective) - supported, funded, sponsored, endorsed, aided ईरान समर्थित

25. **Hostile** (adjective) - antagonistic, aggressive, unfriendly, belligerent, bitter शत्रुतापूर्ण

26. **Monarchy** (noun) - the system of government or rule by a king or queenराजशाही

27. **Buffer** (noun) - shield, cushion, barrier, bulwark, safeguard ढाल

28. **Topple** (verb) - overthrow, oust, unseat, defeat, subvert सत्ता गिराना

29. **Militia** (noun) - paramilitary, fighters, irregulars, combatants, insurgents लड़ाके

30. **Irony** (noun) - paradox, sarcasm, mockery, satire, incongruity विडंबना

31. **Beneath** (preposition) - under, below, underneath, lower, underlying के नीचे

32. **Go wrong** (phrase) - to make a mistake or fail in a plan ग़लत होना

33. **Destabilise** (verb) - undermine, weaken, subvert, unsettle, compromise अस्थिर करना

34. **Give rise to** (phrase) - to cause something to happen or exist जन्म देना

35. **Expose** (verb) - reveal, uncover, display, unmask, disclose उजागर करना

36. **Bombing** (noun) - airstrike, bombardment, shelling, explosion, attack बमबारी

37. **Ally** (noun) - partner, confederate, associate, supporter, friend सहयोगी

38. **Carry out** (phrasal verb) - to perform or complete a task or action अंजाम देना

39. **Stark** (adjective) - harsh, grim, bare, absolute, plain कठोर

40. **Reminder** (noun) - prompt, memo, hint, indication, cue याद दिलाने वाला

41. **Unsustainable** (adjective) - untenable, unsupportable, unviable, unjustifiable, indefensible अस्थिर

42. **Exit** (verb) - leave, depart, withdraw, retreat, evacuate बाहर निकलना

43. **War-ravaged** (adjective) - devastated, ruined, destroyed, battered, torn युद्धग्रस्त

44. **Back** (verb) - support, endorse, sponsor, finance, fund समर्थन करना

45. **Resurgent** (adjective) - reviving, recovering, rising, reborn, revitalized फिर से उठने वाला

46. **Vow** (verb) - promise, pledge, swear, resolve, affirm कसम खाना

47. **Wherewithal** (noun) - resources, means, funds, capability, capacity साधन

48. Manage to drive out (phrase) - to successfully force someone to leave a place बाहर निकालने में सफल होना

The Hindu editorial: Bird islands (07 OCT 2026)

1. Symbolism (noun) - representation, imagery, metaphor, emblem, sign प्रतीकवाद

2. Considerable (adjective) - substantial, significant, sizable, ample, noticeable काफी

3. **Bureaucratic** (adjective) - administrative, official, procedural, red-tape, regulatory नौकरशाही का

4. **Pomp** (noun) - grandeur, splendor, ceremony, pageantry, show धूमधाम

5. **Notable** (adjective) - remarkable, significant, striking, outstanding, memorable उल्लेखनीय

6. **Teeter** (verb) - wobble, totter, stagger, sway, fluctuate डगमगाना

7. **On the brink of** (phrase) - on the verge of or very close to experiencing something के कगार पर

8. **Extinction** (noun) - annihilation, destruction, elimination, eradication, extermination विलुप्ति

9. **Recount** (verb) - narrate, describe, relate, detail, outline वर्णन करना

10. **Travail** (noun) - hardship, ordeal, struggle, tribulation, agony कष्ट

11. **Ornithologist** (noun) - a person who studies birds पक्षी विज्ञानी

12. **Reportedly** (adverb) - allegedly, supposedly, apparently, ostensibly, reputedly कथित तौर पर

13. **Last** (verb) - continue, endure, persist, survive, remain टिकना

14. **Irrigation** (noun) - watering, soaking, damping, moistening, sprinkling सिंचाई

15. **Lead to** (phrasal verb) - to cause something to happen or exist का कारण बनना

16. **Give way to** (phrase) - to be replaced by something else की जगह लेना

17. **Irrigate** (verb) - water, wet, moisten, soak, damp सींचना

18. **Pesticide-soaked** (adjective) - chemical-drenched, contaminated, polluted, treated, saturated कीटनाशक से भीगा हुआ

19. **Vulnerable** (adjective) - susceptible, defenseless, exposed, unprotected, at-risk असुरक्षित

20. **Tend to** (phrasal verb) - to be likely to behave in a particular way की प्रवृत्ति होना

21. **Habitat** (noun) - environment, home, domain, surroundings, territory प्राकृतिक आवास

22. **Opprobrium** (noun) - disgrace, infamy, condemnation, criticism, censure अपमान

23. **On the grounds of something** (phrase) - for the reason that or because के आधार पर

24. **Subset** (noun) - part, branch, division, subclass, section उपसमुच्चय

25. **Fortunate** (adjective) - lucky, blessed, favored, privileged, prosperous भाग्यशाली

26. **Captive** (adjective) - confined, enslaved, bound, restricted, constrained बंदी

27. **Symbolism** (noun) - representation, imagery, metaphor, emblem, sign प्रतीकवाद

28. **Enclosure** (noun) - compound, pen, arena, confine, cage बाड़ा

29. **Confine** (to) (verb) - to keep someone or something within certain limits तक सीमित रखना

30. **Stray** (verb) - wander, roam, drift, deviate, digress भटकना

31. **Habitation** (noun) - residence, dwelling, settlement, abode, housing आवास

32. **Stoke** (verb) - fuel, fan, encourage, incite, provoke भड़काना

33. **Ecology** (noun) - the relationship between living things and their surroundings; the study of this subjectपारिस्थितिकी

34. **Ethos** (noun) - spirit, character, atmosphere, climate, principle प्रकृति

35. **Emphasise** (verb) - stress, highlight, underline, underscore, accentuate ज़ोर देना

36. **Coexistence** (noun) - harmony, peace, synchrony, symbiosis, togetherness सह-अस्तित्व

37. **Merit** (noun) - advantage, benefit, value, worth, excellence लाभ

38. **Thrive** (verb) - flourish, prosper, bloom, burgeon, succeed फलना-फूलना

39. **Landscape** (noun) - scenery, terrain, environment, topography, countryside परिदृश्य

40. **Ought to** (modal verb) - used to indicate duty or correctness चाहिए

The Hindu editorial: Break the chain: On leprosy in India (8 OCT 2026)

1. Leprosy (noun) - disease, infection, ailment, sickness, affliction कुष्ठ रोग

2. **Transmission** (noun) - spread, transfer, communication, conveyance, circulation संचरण

3. **Prevalence** (noun) - commonness, pervasiveness, ubiquity, frequency, occurrence प्रसार

4. **Decade** (noun) - period of ten-years दशक

5. **Pocket** (noun) - area, zone, region, cluster, enclave क्षेत्र

6. **Constrain** (verb) - restrict, limit, curb, hinder, check सीमित करना

7. **Meet** (verb) - achieve, fulfill, satisfy, attain, reach पूरा करना

8. **Outline** (verb) - draft, define, sketch, detail, delineate रूपरेखा तैयार करना

9. **Prompt** (verb) - induce, provoke, encourage, trigger, motivate प्रेरित करना

10. **Eliminate** (verb) - eradicate, remove, abolish, wipe out, exterminate समाप्त करना

11. **Complacent** (adjective) - smug, self-satisfied, careless, unconcerned, relaxed आत्मसंतुष्ट

12. **Surveillance** (noun) - monitoring, observation, scrutiny, watch, supervision निगरानी

13. **Regimen** (noun) - schedule, course, program, routine, plan चिकित्सा पद्धति

14. **Shorten** (verb) - reduce, curtail, lessen, decrease, abbreviate कम करना

15. **In line with** (phrase) - in agreement or accordance with something के अनुरूप

16. **Account for** (phrasal verb) - to form the total of something or explain the cause of something का हिस्सा होना

17. **In tandem** (phrase) - alongside each other or working together एक साथ

18. **Uneven** (adjective) - unequal, inconsistent, disproportionate, asymmetrical, irregular असमान

19. **Disproportionate** (adjective) - excessive, unreasonable, inordinate, uneven, undue असंगत

20. **Project** (verb) - estimate, forecast, predict, calculate, foresee अनुमान लगाना

21. **Screen** (verb) - test, examine, check, evaluate, scan जांच करना

22. **Endemic** (adjective) - native, local, regional, widespread, prevailing स्थानिक

23. **Flag** (verb) - mark, indicate, identify, point out, highlight चिह्नित करना

24. **Suspect** (verb) - doubt, distrust, guess, presume, conjecture संदेह करना

25. **Administer** (verb) - dispense, give, provide, distribute, apply दवा देना

26. **Rifampicin** (noun) - an antibiotic medicine used to treat severe bacterial infections like leprosy and tuberculosis एक प्रकार की एंटीबायोटिक दवा

27. **Post-exposure** (adjective) - occurring or done after contact with an infectious agent संक्रमण के संपर्क में आने के बाद

28. **Prophylaxis** (noun) - a medical treatment given or action taken to prevent a disease रोगनिरोधक उपचार

29. **Operationalise** (verb) - implement, execute, apply, enact, realize लागू करना

30. **Deliberate on** (phrase) - to think about or discuss something carefully विचार-विमर्श करना

31. **Accelerate** (verb) - hasten, expedite, speed up, quicken, spur तेज़ करना

32. **Deem** (verb) - consider, judge, regard, perceive, reckon मानना

33. **Infectious** (adjective) - contagious, communicable, transmissible, catching, spreading संक्रामक

34. **Persistent** (adjective) - continuous, unceasing, relentless, enduring, chronic लगातार

35. **Lacuna** (noun) - gap, blank, deficiency, flaw, shortcoming कमी

36. **Pertain to** (phrasal verb) - to relate to, be connected with, or refer to से संबंधित होना

37. **Seek** (verb) - request, pursue, look for, solicit, desire मांगना

38. **Stigma** (noun) - shame, disgrace, dishonor, humiliation, slur कलंक

39. **Misdiagnose** (verb) - misidentify, misjudge, mistake, misinterpret, err गलत निदान करना

40. **Double down on** (phrasal verb) - to significantly increase one's effort or focus on something किसी चीज़ पर और अधिक ज़ोर देना

41. **Outcome** (noun) - result, consequence, conclusion, effect, aftermath परिणाम

42. **Resist** (verb) - oppose, withstand, defy, combat, confront विरोध करना

43. **Temptation** (noun) - lure, appeal, enticement, urge, inclination प्रलोभन

44. **Incidence** (noun) - occurrence, rate, frequency, prevalence, amount घटना

45. **Overshoot** (verb) - exceed, surpass, transcend, outstrip, overrun पार कर जाना

46. **Projection** (noun) - estimate, forecast, prediction, calculation, expectation अनुमान

47. **Meet** (verb) - fulfill, achieve, attain, reach, satisfy पूरा करना

48. **Extant** (adjective) - existing, surviving, present, remaining, enduring वर्तमान

49. **Commit** (verb) - pledge, dedicate, devote, assign, allocate प्रतिबद्ध होना

50. **Augment** (verb) - increase, boost, enhance, expand, enlarge बढ़ाना

51. **Trenchant** (adjective) - pervasive, severe, acute, persistent, established गहरा

The Hindu editorial: Past forward (09 OCT 2026)

1. **Miss an opportunity** (phrase) - to fail to take advantage of a chance अवसर चूकना

2. **Take a surprise lead** (phrase) - to unexpectedly gain an advantage or first place अप्रत्याशित बढ़त लेना

3. **Embroil** (verb) - involve, entangle, ensnare, implicate, mire उलझाना

4. **Pro-business** (adjective) - good for, or supporting, business development व्यापार समर्थक

5. **Mobilise** (verb) - rally, marshal, organize, assemble, muster लामबंद करना

6. **Seek** (verb) - pursue, desire, attempt, request, search चाहना

7. **Reflect** (verb) - indicate, show, display, demonstrate, reveal दर्शाना

8. **Plot** (verb) - conspire, scheme, plan, intrigue, maneuver साजिश रचना

9. **Coup** (noun) - overthrow, rebellion, revolt, mutiny, takeover तख्तापलट

10. **Bar** (verb) - ban, prohibit, block, prevent, forbid वर्जित करना

11. **Contest** (verb) - fight, challenge, dispute, compete, contend चुनाव लड़ना

12. **Senate** (noun) - parliament, legislature, council, assembly, congress उच्च सदन

13. **Cement** (verb) - strengthen, solidify, consolidate, reinforce, secure मजबूत करना

14. **Hold one's ground** (phrase) - to maintain one's position and refuse to yield डटे रहना

15. **Annul** (verb) - cancel, invalidate, nullify, void, repeal रद्द करना

16. **Strengthen** (verb) - reinforce, fortify, consolidate, boost, bolster मजबूत करना

17. **In terms of** (phrase) - with regard to the particular aspect or subject specified के संदर्भ में

18. **Macroeconomic** (adjective) - relating to the large-scale or general economy of a country समष्टि-आर्थिक

19. **Core** (adjective) - central, main, primary, fundamental, essential मुख्य

20. **Poverty** (noun) - destitution, penury, impoverishment, indigence, hardship गरीबी

21. **Fiscal** (adjective) - financial, economic, monetary, budgetary, pecuniary राजकोषीय

22. **Upset** (verb) - distress, trouble, bother, agitate, dismay परेशान करना

23. **Criticism** (noun) - condemnation, censure, disapproval, flak, denunciation आलोचना

24. **Organised crime** (noun) - criminal activities that are planned and controlled by powerful groups संगठित अपराध

25. **Hardline** (adjective) - strict, uncompromising, tough, inflexible, unyielding कट्टर

26. **Conservative** (adjective) - traditionalist, orthodox, conventional, reactionary, cautious रूढ़िवादी

27. **Evangelical** (adjective) - of or according to the teaching of the gospel or the christian religion ईसाई धर्म-प्रचारक

28. **Mobilise** (verb) - rally, marshal, organize, assemble, muster लामबंद करना

29. **Mainstream** (adjective) - conventional, ordinary, orthodox, accepted, prevailing मुख्यधारा

30. **Abstain** (verb) - refrain, withhold, decline, avoid, forgo मतदान से बचना

31. **Cast one's ballot** (phrase) - to vote in an election मतदान करना

32. **Camp** (noun) - faction, group, party, side, coterie खेमा

33. **Accuse of** (phrase) - to claim that someone has done something wrong or illegal का आरोप लगाना

34. **Interference** (noun) - intervention, intrusion, meddling, involvement, prying हस्तक्षेप

35. **Run-off** (noun) - a further election held after a tie or when no candidate wins a majority निर्णायक चुनाव

36. **Persuade** (verb) - convince, coax, urge, influence, sway राजी करना

37. **Disillusioned** (adjective) - disappointed, disenchanted, disheartened, cynical, let-down मोहभंग

38. **Swing vote** (noun) - a vote that may go to any of a number of candidates in an election, often deciding the outcome अनिर्णायक वोट

39. **Turn the tide** (phrase) - to reverse the trend of events पासा पलटना

40. **A tall ask** (phrase) - a difficult request or a very hard task to achieve एक कठिन कार्य

41. **Indeed** (adverb) - certainly, truly, genuinely, absolutely, undoubtedly वास्तव में

The Hindu editorial: Chance and happenstance (10 OCT 2026)

1. **Happenstance** (noun) - chance, coincidence, accident, serendipity, fate संयोग

2. **Bias** (noun) - prejudice, partiality, favoritism, inclination, leaning पक्षपात

3. **Sociology** (noun) - the study of human societies and social behaviourसमाजशास्त्र

4. **Definite** (adjective) - distinct, clear, specific, exact, precise निश्चित

5. **Exist** (verb) - live, survive, prevail, remain, continue मौजूद होना

6. **Proportion** (noun) - ratio, fraction, part, percentage, share अनुपात

7. **Approach** (verb) - near, reach, approximate, match, rival के करीब पहुंचना

8. **Laborious** (adjective) - arduous, strenuous, grueling, tiresome, painstaking कठिन

9. **Demonstration** (noun) - proof, evidence, exhibition, display, manifestation प्रमाण

10. **Overwhelm** (verb) - overpower, overcome, inundate, engulf, conquer हावी होना

11. **Accretive effect** (noun) - the result of gradual accumulation or growth संचयी प्रभाव

12. **Compound** (verb) - multiply, increase, intensify, augment, worsen बढ़ना

13. **Chirality** (noun) - a geometric property where a molecule cannot be superimposed on its mirror image काइरलिटी (असममिति)

14. **Handedness** (noun) - preference, inclination, asymmetry, bias, tendency झुकाव

15. **Result** (verb) - ensue, follow, happen, occur, arise परिणत होना

16. **Predominance** (noun) - dominance, supremacy, prevalence, majority, superiority प्रधानता

17. **Handedness** (noun) - preference, inclination, asymmetry, bias, tendency झुकाव

18. **Homochirality** (noun) - the property of a group of molecules that possess the same chiral sense समरूपता

19. **Mirror** (verb) - reflect, copy, imitate, mimic, match प्रतिबिंबित करना

20. **Variant** (noun) - alternative, form, version, variation, modification विकल्प / प्रकार

21. **Turn out** (phrasal verb) - to happen in a particular way or to have a particular result साबित होना

22. **Result in** (phrasal verb) - to cause a particular situation to happen का कारण बनना

23. **Congenital** (adjective) - innate, inherent, inborn, hereditary, constitutional जन्मजात

24. **Abnormality** (noun) - anomaly, irregularity, deformity, defect, flaw विकृति

25. **Devise** (verb) - invent, formulate, conceive, design, concoct तैयार करना

26. **Ensure** (verb) - guarantee, secure, assure, confirm, warrant सुनिश्चित करना

27. **Variant** (noun) - alternative, form, version, variation, modification विकल्प / प्रकार

28. **Synthesise** (verb) - combine, integrate, amalgamate, blend, manufacture संश्लेषित करना

29. **Insight** (noun) - understanding, perception, intuition, acumen, awareness अंतर्दृष्टि

30. **Intriguing** (adjective) - fascinating, interesting, captivating, compelling, absorbing दिलचस्प

31. **Evolutionary** (adjective) - developmental, progressive, gradual, adaptive, advancing विकासवादी

32. **Difference** (noun) - variation, disparity, distinction, contrast, discrepancy अंतर

33. **Proportionately** (adverb) - correspondingly, relatively, equivalently, commensurately, symmetrically आनुपातिक रूप से

34. **Outcome** (noun) - result, consequence, effect, aftermath, upshot परिणाम

35. **Initial** (adjective) - beginning, first, opening, primary, preliminary प्रारंभिक

36. **Amplify** (verb) - magnify, intensify, boost, escalate, augment बढ़ाना

37. **Catalyse** (verb) - stimulate, trigger, spark, accelerate, provoke उत्प्रेरित करना

38. **Lay forth** (phrasal verb) - to present, explain, or set out a plan or idea प्रस्तुत करना

39. **Underlie** (verb) - underpin, govern, support, root, base आधार बनना

40. **Underline** (verb) - emphasize, highlight, stress, accentuate, underscore ज़ोर देना

41. **Quest** (noun) - search, pursuit, hunt, expedition, exploration खोज

42. **Phenomenon** (noun) - occurrence, event, happening, marvel, anomaly घटना

43. **Drive** (verb) - propel, motivate, prompt, urge, push प्रेरित करना

44. **Curiosity** (noun) - inquisitiveness, interest, prying, eagerness, interference जिज्ञासा

45. **Yield** (verb) - produce, generate, provide, return, bear देना

46. **Application** (noun) - use, utilization, implementation, function, execution अनुप्रयोग

47. **Blaze a trail** (idiom) - to do something completely new and show others how to do it नया रास्ता दिखाना

Part - C

The Business Line editorial: PMS promise (05 OCT 2026)

1. **Turn your attention to something** (phrase) - to direct one's focus, thought, or consideration toward a specific subject, person, or issue की ओर ध्यान देना
2. **Space** (noun) - sector, field, area, domain, segment क्षेत्र
3. **Compounded annual growth rate** (phrase) - the mean annual growth rate of an investment over a specified period of time longer than one year चक्रवृद्धि वार्षिक वृद्धि दर
4. **Stand** (verb) - remain, measure, rest, exist, amount स्थित होना
5. **Amount to** (phrasal verb) - to be equal to, add up to, or become a particular sum or value के बराबर होना
6. **Framework** (noun) - structure, system, setup, architecture, groundwork ढांचा
7. **Given** (preposition) - considering, seeing, regarding, noting, assuming को देखते हुए
8. **Numerous** (adjective) - many, multiple, abundant, countless, myriad अनेक
9. **Overhaul** (noun) - revamp, restructuring, rebuilding, remodeling, revision कायापलट
10. **In order** (phrase) - appropriate, necessary, fitting, or suitable in a particular situation उचित या आवश्यक
11. **Affluent** (adjective) - wealthy, rich, prosperous, opulent, well-off धनी
12. **Affordable** (adjective) - inexpensive, reasonable, cheap, economical, low-cost वहन करने योग्य
13. **Cohort** (noun) - group, category, demographic, segment, class समूह
14. **Cater to** (phrasal verb) - to provide what is required, desired, or needed by someone or something की जरूरतें पूरी करना
15. **Arrangement** (noun) - agreement, deal, settlement, contract, pact व्यवस्था
16. **Steadily** (adverb) - consistently, gradually, constantly, continuously, progressively लगातार
17. **Basket** (noun) - collection, range, assortment, variety, group संग्रह
18. **Initial public offerings** (phrase) - the first time a private company offers its shares to the public to raise capital आरंभिक सार्वजनिक निर्गम
19. **Discretionary** (adjective) - optional, voluntary, unrestricted, flexible, non-mandatory विवेकाधीन

The Indian Express Line editorial: Global capital is no longer cheap, that's the challenge (06 OCT 2026)

1. Yield (noun) - return, profit, dividend, earning, revenue प्राप्ति

2. **Borrowing cost** (noun) - the expense incurred by taking out a loan or borrowing money उधार लेने की लागत

3. **Work out** (phrasal verb) - to calculate or amount to a specific figure हिसाब बैठना

4. **Percentage point** (noun) - the simple arithmetic difference between two percentages प्रतिशत अंक

5. **Simply put** (phrase) - stated clearly and straightforwardly सीधे शब्दों में

6. **Tradable** (adjective) - marketable, negotiable, exchangeable, transferable, saleable व्यापार योग्य

7. **Back** (verb) - support, endorse, finance, sponsor, sustain समर्थन करना

8. **Tax** (verb) - levy, assess, charge, exact, impose कर लगाना

9. **Ostensibly** (adverb) - apparently, seemingly, supposedly, allegedly, presumably प्रकट रूप से

10. **Unlike** (preposition) - dissimilar to, different from, opposed to, contrary to, unalike के विपरीत

11. **Differentiate** (verb) - distinguish, discriminate, separate, contrast, segregate अंतर करना

12. **Economy** (noun) - the operation of a country's money supply, commercial activities and industryअर्थव्यवस्था

13. **Surge** (verb) - soar, skyrocket, escalate, rocket, shoot up तेजी से बढ़ना

14. **Multi-decade** (adjective) - spanning across several decades कई दशकों का

15. **Persistent** (adjective) - continuous, relentless, unceasing, chronic, perpetual लगातार

16. **Aging** (adjective) - maturing, declining, fading, elderly, senescent बढ़ती उम्र का

17. **Commitment** (noun) - obligation, responsibility, duty, pledge, promise प्रतिबद्धता

18. **Resistance** (noun) - opposition, defiance, reluctance, hostility, disapproval विरोध

19. **Entitlement** (noun) - allowance, allocation, grant, privilege, right अधिकार

20. **Outstanding** (adjective) - unpaid, unsettled, pending, unresolved, due बकाया

21. **Surpass** (verb) - exceed, outstrip, transcend, eclipse, overtake से अधिक होना

22. **Propose** (verb) - suggest, submit, recommend, proffer, advance प्रस्ताव रखना

23. **Fiscal year** (noun) - a one-year period used for financial reporting and budgeting वित्तीय वर्ष

24. **Perception** (noun) - view, impression, notion, understanding, belief धारणा

25. **Mounting** (adjective) - increasing, growing, rising, escalating, accumulating बढ़ता हुआ

26. **Inflation** (noun) - price rise, cost increase मुद्रास्फीति

27. **Infrastructure** (noun) - framework, base, foundation, groundwork, setup बुनियादी ढांचा

28. **Capital expenditure** (noun) - money spent by an organization on acquiring or maintaining fixed assets पूंजीगत व्यय

29. **Hyperscaler** (noun) - large cloud service provider that provides computing and storage at enterprise scale बड़े क्लाउड सेवा प्रदाता

30. **Project** (verb) - forecast, estimate, predict, calculate, foresee अनुमान लगाना

31. **Compete** (verb) - contend, vie, struggle, rival, contest प्रतिस्पर्धा करना

32. **Drive up** (phrasal verb) - to force a price or value to increase कीमत बढ़ाना

33. **Safe haven** (noun) - a place or situation that provides safety or security from danger सुरक्षित ठिकाना

34. **Implication** (noun) - consequence, repercussion, ramification, effect, outcome निहितार्थ

35. **Two-fold** (adjective) - having two parts or aspects दोतरफा

36. **Policymaker** (noun) - legislator, administrator, official, planner, executive नीति निर्माता

37. **Reconcile** (verb) - accept, accommodate, adapt, submit, resign सामंजस्य बिठाना

38. **Fiscal discipline** (noun) - the ability of a government to balance its budget and avoid excessive debt राजकोषीय अनुशासन

39. **Crowd out** (phrasal verb) - a situation where government borrowing drives up interest rates and reduces private sector investment निजी निवेश को बाहर करना

40. **At home** (phrase) - within one's own country or domestic environment स्वदेश में

The Business Line editorial: CAFE smokescreen (07 OCT 2026)

1. **Smokescreen** (noun) - pretense, cover, camouflage, mask, facade दिखावा
2. **Debate** (noun) - discussion, argument, deliberation, dispute, controversy बहस
3. **Norms** (noun) - standards, rules, regulations, benchmarks, criteria मानक
4. **Come into effect** (phrase) - to become operative, valid, or active लागू होना
5. **Dimension** (noun) - aspect, facet, feature, perspective, side पहलू
6. **Blending** (noun) - mixing, mingling, merging, combining, amalgamation मिश्रण
7. **Mandate** (noun) - directive, order, command, decree, instruction आदेश
8. **Alter** (verb) - modify, change, adjust, adapt, transform बदलना
9. **The status quo** (noun) - the existing state of affairs यथास्थिति
10. **Spell out** (phrasal verb) - to explain something clearly and in detail स्पष्ट रूप से समझाना
11. **Fleet** (noun) - armada, convoy, group, collection, assemblage बेड़ा
12. **Equate** (verb) - compare, identify, associate, parallel, correlate बराबर समझना
13. **Do away with** (phrasal verb) - to get rid of or abolish something समाप्त करना
14. **Carve out** (phrasal verb) - an exemption, exception, or exclusion from a general rule विशेष छूट
15. **Tweak** (noun) - adjustment, modification, alteration, fine-tuning, change फेरबदल
16. **Get away with** (phrasal verb) - to escape the blame, punishment, or strict requirements for something बच निकलना
17. **Stiff** (adjective) - stringent, strict, rigorous, demanding, tough कठोर
18. **Notwithstanding** (preposition) - despite, regardless of के बावजूद
19. **Coefficient** (noun) - factor, multiplier, constant, measure, ratio गुणांक
20. **Pertain to** (phrasal verb) - to relate to, be connected with, or refer to से संबंधित होना
21. **Multiplier** (noun) - factor, coefficient, amplifier, expander, incrementer गुणक
22. **Tighten** (verb) - restrict, constrain, toughen, strengthen, narrow सख्त करना
23. **Transition** (noun) - change, shift, conversion, transformation, passage बदलाव
24. **Gentle** (adjective) - gradual, mild, moderate, slow, soft धीमा
25. **At large** (phrase) - as a whole, in general, or generally आम जनता
26. **Incongruity** (noun) - inconsistency, contradiction, discrepancy, incompatibility, anomaly विसंगति
27. **Cough up** (phrasal verb) - to reluctantly provide or pay money चुकाना
28. **Arguably** (adverb) - plausibly, possibly, feasibly, conceivably, likely संभवतः
29. **Flex car** (noun) - a flexible-fuel vehicle capable of running on gasoline and

ethanol blends लचीले ईंधन से चलने वाला वाहन

30. **Stretch** (noun) - exaggeration, overstatement, embellishment, strain, overextension बढ़ा-चढ़ाकर कहना
31. **Regard** (verb) - consider, view, deem, judge, reckon मानना
32. **Concession** (noun) - allowance, rebate, discount, exception, privilege छूट
33. **On account of** (phrase) - because of or as a result of के कारण
34. **Questionable** (adjective) - doubtful, dubious, suspect, debatable, disputable संदेहास्पद
35. **Emphasis** (on) (noun) - giving special importance or value to something पर ज़ोर
36. **Resemble** (verb) - mirror, parallel, simulate, match, echo जैसा दिखना
37. **Privilege** (verb) - favor, prioritize, indulge, pamper, prefer विशेषाधिकार देना
38. **Devise** (verb) - invent, formulate, design, develop, concoct तैयार करना

The Pioneer editorial: India-Swiss ties need a fourth T: Tracking (08 OCT 2026)

1. **Signal** (verb) - indicate, signify, denote, suggest, display संकेत देना

2. **Mark** (verb) - represent, signify, denote, characterize, indicate चिह्नित करना

3. **Agenda** (noun) - schedule, program, itinerary, plan, timetable कार्यसूची

4. **Framing** (noun) - structure, formulation, outline, framework, conceptualization रूपरेखा

5. **Anchor** (verb) - secure, fasten, establish, base, found मजबूती से जोड़ना

6. **In force** (phrase) - currently valid, operational, or in effect लागू

7. **Take stock** (idiom) - to review or assess a particular situation समीक्षा करना

8. **Renewable** (adjective) - extendable, continuable, sustainable, replenishable, inexhaustible नवीकरणीय

9. **Alongside** (preposition) - beside, along with, parallel to, adjoining, bordering के साथ-साथ

10. **Memorandum** (noun) - agreement, record, memo, minute, dispatch ज्ञापन

11. **The circular economy** (noun) - an economic system aimed at eliminating waste and the continual use of resources चक्रीय अर्थव्यवस्था

12. **Avenue** (noun) - path, channel, route, direction, opportunity मार्ग या अवसर

13. **Widen** (verb) - broaden, expand, enlarge, extend, dilate विस्तार करना

14. **Uncomplicated** (adjective) - simple, straightforward, easy, clear, manageable सरल

15. **Cordial** (adjective) - friendly, warm, amiable, pleasant, affable सौहार्दपूर्ण

16. **Non-alignment** (noun) - neutrality, impartiality, non-intervention, non-participation, independence गुटनिरपेक्षता

17. **Neutrality** (noun) - impartiality, detachment, objectivity, unbias, disinterest तटस्थता

18. **Lopsided** (adjective) - unequal, disproportionate, unbalanced, uneven, skewed एकतरफा

19. **On the ground** (phrase) - in a practical or real-world situation rather than in theory ज़मीनी स्तर पर

20. **Subsidiary** (noun) - branch, division, offshoot, affiliate, subordinate सहायक कंपनी

21. **Friction** (noun) - conflict, discord, disagreement, tension, dispute विवाद या घर्षण

22. **Suspend** (verb) - halt, pause, interrupt, defer, delay निलंबित करना

23. **Clause** (noun) - provision, section, article, condition, stipulation खंड या शर्त

24. **Treaty** (noun) - agreement, pact, accord, convention, settlement संधि

25. **Ruling** (noun) - judgment, decision, verdict, decree, pronouncement फैसला

26. **Reminder** (noun) - prompt, cue, hint, indication, suggestion याद दिलाने वाला

27. **Goodwill** (noun) - benevolence, friendliness, harmony, rapport, amity सद्भावना

28. **Certainty** (noun) - assurance, confidence, conviction, sureness, predictability निश्चितता

29. **Ultimately** (adverb) - eventually, finally, fundamentally, basically, conclusively अंततः

30. **Predictable** (adjective) - foreseeable, expected, anticipated, reliable, steady अनुमानित

31. **Stepping stone** (noun) - an action or event that helps one to make progress towards a goal प्रारंभिक चरण

32. **Handsome** (adjective) - substantial, considerable, sizeable, generous, ample अच्छी-खासी

The Indian Express editorial: RBI's focus on inflation is timely.(09 OCT 2026)

1. **Inflation** (noun) - a general rise in prices; the rate at which prices rise मुद्रास्फीति

2. **Monetary policy committee** (noun) - a committee of the reserve bank of india responsible for fixing the benchmark interest rate मौद्रिक नीति समिति

3. **The repo rate** (noun) - the rate at which the central bank of a country lends money to commercial banks रेपो दर

4. **Basis point** (noun) - a common unit of measure for interest rates and other percentages in finance आधार अंक

5. **Drag on** (phrase) - something that slows down progress or makes it difficult बाधा डालना

6. **Obvious** (adjective) - clear, evident, apparent, plain, visible स्पष्ट

7. **Perhaps** (adverb) - maybe, possibly, conceivably, probably, perchance शायद

8. **Consequential** (adjective) - significant, important, momentous, substantial, crucial महत्वपूर्ण

9. **Stance** (noun) - position, posture, standpoint, attitude, viewpoint दृष्टिकोण

10. **Calibrated tightening** (noun) - a monetary policy stance where rate hikes are done in a measured way नपी-तुली सख्ती

11. **Assume** (verb) - adopt, acquire, embrace, shoulder, undertake अपनाना

12. **Mandate** (noun) - directive, order, command, instruction, decree जनादेश

13. **Underline** (verb) - emphasize, highlight, stress, accentuate, underscore ज़ोर देना

14. **Stability** (noun) - steadiness, firmness, solidity, constancy, security स्थिरता

15. **Keep in view** (phrase) - to consider or take into account a particular fact ध्यान में रखना

16. **Count** (noun) - point, issue, matter, aspect, factor बिंदु या मुद्दा

17. **Necessitate** (verb) - require, demand, entail, compel, force आवश्यक बनाना

18. **Resilience** (noun) - toughness, flexibility, adaptability, endurance, strength लचीलापन

19. **Worsen** (verb) - deteriorate, decline, degenerate, aggravate, exacerbate खराब होना

20. **Bump up** (phrasal verb) - to increase something in size or amount बढ़ाना

21. **Forecast** (noun) - prediction, projection, estimate, calculation, prophecy पूर्वानुमान

22. **Pencil in** (phrasal verb) - to arrange for something to happen on a particular date, knowing it might change तय करना

23. **Notwithstanding** (preposition) - despite, regardless of, in spite of, nonetheless, however के बावजूद

24. **Momentum** (noun) - impetus, thrust, drive, energy, force गति

25. **Considerably** (adverb) - significantly, substantially, greatly, largely, noticeably काफी हद तक

26. **Thanks to** (phrase) - as a result of something or someone के कारण

27. **Re-escalation** (noun) - resurgence, intensification, aggravation, worsening, amplification फिर से वृद्धि

28. **Consequent** (adjective) - resultant, ensuing, subsequent, following, resulting परिणामस्वरूप

29. **Harden** (verb) - strengthen, solidify, toughen, firm up, stiffen मजबूत होना

30. **Volatility** (noun) - instability, unpredictability, fluctuation, variability, unsteadiness अस्थिरता

31. **Outlook** (noun) - prospect, expectation, future, perspective, forecast दृष्टिकोण

32. **Deficient** (adjective) - lacking, inadequate, insufficient, wanting, scarce अपर्याप्त

33. **El niño** (noun) - a climate pattern describing the unusual warming of surface waters in the eastern tropical pacific ocean अल नीनो

34. **Go up** (phrasal verb) - to increase in price, amount, or level बढ़ना

35. **Steadily** (adverb) - constantly, continuously, gradually, progressively, uniformly लगातार

36. **Breach** (verb) - break, violate, contravene, infringe, transcend पार करना

37. **Given** (preposition) - considering, taking into account, bearing in mind, assuming, seeing को देखते हुए

38. **Robust** (adjective) - strong, vigorous, sturdy, tough, powerful मजबूत

39. **In a bid to** (adverb) - in an attempt to do something के प्रयास में

40. **Dampen** (verb) - suppress, reduce, lessen, diminish, stifle कम करना

41. **Broad-based** (adjective) - comprehensive, widespread, extensive, inclusive, all-embracing व्यापक

42. **Squarely** (adverb) - directly, firmly, straightforwardly, unswervingly, explicitly सीधे तौर पर

43. **Deal with** (phrasal verb) - to take action to solve a problem निपटना

44. **Spike** (noun) - surge, rise, increase, jump, upsurge उछाल

45. **Simply put** (phrase) - stated clearly and straightforwardly सीधे शब्दों में

46. **Off the table** (phrase) - no longer being considered or discussed विचार से बाहर

47. **For the time being** (phrase) - for now or for a short period of time फिलहाल

48. **Signal** (verb) - indicate, point to, signify, denote, suggest संकेत देना

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1. **Assistance** (noun) - help, support, aid, backing, cooperation सहायता

2. **Effectively** (adverb) - efficiently, successfully, proficiently, productively, fruitfully प्रभावी ढंग से

3. **Inflation** (noun) - a general rise in prices; the rate at which prices rise मुद्रास्फीति

4. **Monetary policy committee** (noun) - a committee of the reserve bank of india responsible for fixing the benchmark interest rate मौद्रिक नीति समिति

5. **Rein in** (phrasal verb) - to control or limit something नियंत्रण करना

6. **Seem** (verb) - appear, look, sound, figure, show प्रतीत होना

7. **Inevitable** (adjective) - unavoidable, inescapable, certain, sure, unpreventable अपरिहार्य

8. **Project** (verb) - forecast, predict, estimate, calculate, foresee अनुमान लगाना

9. **Projection** (noun) - estimate, forecast, prediction, calculation, expectation अनुमान

10. **Set to** (phrasal verb) - ready or likely to do something तैयार

11. **Ease** (verb) - reduce, alleviate, mitigate, lessen, relieve कम होना

12. **Marginally** (adverb) - slightly, somewhat, barely, minimally, fractionally मामूली रूप से

13. **Following** (preposition) - after, subsequent, succeeding, post, behind के बाद

14. **Reprieve** (noun) - respite, delay, postponement, relief, break राहत

15. **Likely** (adverb) - probably, presumably, doubtlessly, seemingly, possibly संभवतः

16. **Following** (preposition) - after, subsequent, succeeding, post, behind के बाद

17. **Hold off** (phrasal verb) - to delay doing something टालना

18. **Withstand** (verb) - endure, resist, tolerate, bear, brave सहना

19. **Fiscal pressures** (noun) - economic difficulties related to government revenue and spending राजकोषीय दबाव

20. **Likely** (adverb) - probably, presumably, doubtlessly, seemingly, possibly संभवतः

21. **Spiral** (verb) - escalate, soar, skyrocket, surge, rocket तेजी से बढ़ना

22. **Deficient** (adjective) - lacking, inadequate, insufficient, wanting, scarce अपर्याप्त

23. **Push up** (phrasal verb) - to cause something to increase बढ़ाना

24. **Driver** (noun) - catalyst, cause, factor, instigator, promoter प्रेरक कारक

25. **Marginal effects** (noun) - small or minor impacts मामूली प्रभाव

26. **Scenario** (noun) - situation, condition, context, circumstance, setting परिदृश्य

27. **Dampen** (verb) - reduce, lessen, diminish, suppress, moderate कम करना

28. **Prophecy** (noun) - prediction, forecast, prognosis, divination, revelation भविष्यवाणी

29. **Drive up** (phrasal verb) - to force a price or value to increase ऊपर ले जाना

30. **Nudge** (noun) - push, prod, encouragement, prompt, poke हल्का धक्का

31. **Inevitably** (adverb) - unavoidably, necessarily, naturally, inescapably, automatically अनिवार्य रूप से

32. **Ineffectual** (adjective) - ineffective, useless, futile, powerless, incompetent अप्रभावी

33. **Bludgeon** (noun) - club, stick, cudgel, truncheon, baton भारी हथियार

34. **Stance** (noun) - position, posture, standpoint, attitude, viewpoint दृष्टिकोण

35. **Calibrated tightening** (noun) - a monetary policy stance where rate hikes are done in a measured way नपी-तुली सख्ती

36. **Neutral** (adjective) - impartial, unbiased, nonpartisan, objective, unprejudiced तटस्थ

37. **At its disposal** (phrase) - available for someone to use as they wish इस्तेमाल के लिए उपलब्ध

38. **Tightening** (noun) - restriction, strictness, stringency, constraint, curtailment सख्ती

39. **Project** (verb) - forecast, predict, estimate, calculate, foresee अनुमान लगाना

40. **Hike** (verb) - increase, raise, boost, elevate, escalate बढ़ाना

41. **Predict** (verb) - forecast, foresee, anticipate, project, prophesy भविष्यवाणी करना

42. **Slowdown** (noun) - deceleration, decline, downturn, slump, recession मंदी

43. **Trade-off** (noun) - compromise, exchange, balance, swap, concession समझौता

44. **Deftness** (noun) - skill, agility, dexterity, adroitness, nimbleness निपुणता

45. **Exodus** (noun) - departure, withdrawal, evacuation, migration, flight पलायन

46. **Foreign portfolio investors** (noun) - investors who invest in financial assets of a foreign country विदेशी पोर्टफोलियो निवेशक

47. **Breathing room** (noun) - a period of rest or time to recover राहत का समय

48. **So far** (phrase) - until now or up to this point अब तक

49. **Buffer** (noun) - reserve, cushion, stockpile, shield, safeguard भंडार

50. **Anti-hoarding** (adjective) - against the practice of hiding or storing large quantities of goods जमाखोरी विरोधी